

104TH CONGRESS  
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# H. J. RES. 155

Making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1996, and for other purposes.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 3, 1996

Ms. JACKSON-LEE introduced the following joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations

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## JOINT RESOLUTION

Making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1996, and for other purposes.

1       *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*

2       *of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. FURTHER CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS.**

4       (a) EXTENSION OF PERIOD.—Section 106(c) of Pub-

5       lic Law 104–56 is amended by striking “December 15,

6       1995” and inserting “January 19, 1996”.

7       (b) MODIFICATION IN RATE OF OPERATIONS REDUC-

8       TION APPLICABLE TO CERTAIN PROGRAMS.—Section 111

9       of Public Law 104–56 is amended in the last sentence by

10       striking “25 percent” and inserting “10 percent”.

1 **SEC. 2. TREATMENT OF LAPSE IN APPROPRIATIONS.**

2 (a) COMPENSATION OF FURLOUGHED PERSON-  
3 NEL.—Any officer or employee of the United States Gov-  
4 ernment or of the District of Columbia government who  
5 was furloughed for any period as a result of a lapse in  
6 appropriations occurring after December 15, 1995, and  
7 before the enactment of this joint resolution, shall be com-  
8 pensated at the standard rate of compensation for such  
9 officer or employee for such period.

10 (b) RATIFICATION OF OBLIGATIONS.—All obligations  
11 that were incurred in anticipation of the appropriations  
12 made and authority granted by the enactment of this joint  
13 resolution, and that were for the purpose of maintaining  
14 the level of activity essential to protect life and property  
15 and to bring about the orderly termination of government  
16 functions, are hereby ratified and approved if otherwise  
17 in accord with the provisions of Public Law 104–56, as  
18 amended by this joint resolution.

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